

# ROBERT WILSON, POSTMASTER

## Here and There

Editorial By ALEX. H. WASHBURN

**SOUTHWEST** Arkansas's cotton farmers are debating the Bankhead law this week and next before going to the polls Friday, December 14, to vote for its retention or repeal. Senator Joe T. Robinson, who knows the political situation as well as anybody does, cautioned the South Saturday that if the Bankhead law were repealed he could give no assurance that new legislation would be passed in the next session of congress.

### E. Johnson Quits Test, But Martin May Drill Again

Johnson's Jones No. 1 Abandoned at Depth of 3,500 Feet

### NEW MARTIN TEST

Seek Adjoining Location, and Would Skid Present Derrick

Announcement was made Monday that the Edgar Johnson oil well test on the George Jones land, southern Hempstead county, has been definitely abandoned.

The test was drilled to an approximate depth of 3,500 feet. Failure to get an adequate showing caused the drillers to abandon the hole. The rig will be moved to East Texas or the El Dorado field, the announcement said.

The Johnson test is located a half mile west of the old Jones test which was drilled 15 years ago by the White Oil corporation.

F. W. Martin & Co., who have encountered much trouble on the No. 1 Lafferty well, have abandoned efforts to make further tests in the present hole.

It was said that if arrangements could be made, the derrick would be skidded over a few yards and a new hole drilled.

The Martin test was drilled to a depth of 3,670 feet when the drill stem became too heavy for the derrick, causing part of it to cave in.

Approximately 1,500 feet of the stem was lost, causing operators to go back up the hole in their efforts to bring in a producer.

A third oil well test, the Dr. E. L. Austin well, was drilling Monday at a depth of 2,200 feet on the McWilliams land, two miles south of Shover Springs.

### P. H. Coleman, 80, Dies on Sunday

Funeral Service Held Monday at Westmoreland Cemetery

P. H. Coleman, 80, died Sunday morning at his home of Floyd Gilbert on the Fulton-Cross Roads road. He had resided in this county for more than 30 years.

Funeral services were held at 2 p. m. Monday in Westmoreland cemetery, near Liberty. He is survived by several daughters, one of whom is Mrs. Alice Finley of Hope.

## 18 SHOPPING DAYS 'TIL CHRISTMAS



## Friend of Jenkins Family Also Held

### Dudley Bryan, 26, Is Arrested With Victims' Mother

Second Arrest in Little Rock's Triple Poison Mystery

### HUSBAND RECOVERS

Police Continue Investigation of Death of Three Children

**LITTLE ROCK.**—(AP)—A murder charge was lodged Monday against Dudley Bryan, 26-year-old friend of the Charles Jenkins family, as officers continued their investigation into the poison deaths of three of the Jenkins children 10 days ago.

Mrs. Minnie Rose Jenkins, 29, the children's mother, was charged with murder in connection with the three deaths last week.

Charles Jenkins, relief worker and father of the family, is recovering from the effects of the poison which he told officers he administered in capsule form to the three children and himself in the belief that it was a cold remedy.

**Woman Is Ill.** Mrs. Minnie Rose Jenkins, 29, who has been held in the county jail since Friday on murder charges for the poisoning a week before of three of her four children, was questioned by two physicians Sunday at the request of an attorney representing the woman.

One of the doctors said he found Mrs. Jenkins "in poor health." She has lost much weight recently, is able to eat little and is suffering from heart disease, he said. The other physician said he was convinced Mrs. Jenkins is "mentally unbalanced" and that he would recommend her transfer to State Hospital.

**Tells of Suicide Plan.** Both said Mrs. Jenkins told them she had contemplated suicide before the poisoning of the three children and her husband, Charles Jenkins, who recovered.

The woman said she mixed strychnine with whisky and placed the bottle containing the poisoned liquor under a pillow on her bed, intending to end her life, several days before the tragedy. However, when one of the children returned from school, the mother changed her mind, she said, and directed the child—one of the two girls later poisoned—to empty the bottle.

She said her daughter dropped the bottle through a hole in the floor. Police were sent to search for the bottle, but found no one at the Jenkins home and were unable to seek corroboration of the woman's statement.

**Attends Brother's Funeral.** Dudley Bryan, 26, a friend of the Jenkins family, also held in jail in connection with the poison deaths, was taken from the city jail for a few hours to attend the funeral of a brother, Raymond Bryan, who died Friday. He was released in the custody of Deputy Sheriff Raper, who returned him to jail following the services.

### 2 1/2-Inch Rainfall in City on Sunday

Total Precipitation Since Thanksgiving Day Is 4.31 Inches

A total of 2.43 inches of rainfall fell over Hempstead county Sunday and Sunday night, the Fruit and Truck Branch Experiment Station reported Monday.

From 6 a. m. to 5 p. m. the total was 1.55. During the night .48 inches was recorded, bringing the total since Thanksgiving morning to 4.31 inches.

### Military Training Held Compulsory

Dismissal of 2 California Students Upheld by U. S. Supreme Court

**WASHINGTON.**—(AP)—The right of the University of California and other land-grant colleges to compel students to take military training was upheld by the United States Supreme Court Monday.

It sustained the action of the university in suspending two students who declined to take military training because of conscientious objections.

### Kennedy, Hope Captain, Named on 1934 All-Arkansas Eleven

Payne Put on Democrat's Second Team, and Is Given Gazette's Third Team Selection

R. C. Kennedy, captain and right end of the Hope High School football team, was named on the all-state team selected by the Arkansas Democrat with the aid of coaches of the various Arkansas high schools.

The announcement of the selections was made Sunday. It was the first time a Hope player has gained such recognition in several years. Kennedy is 19 years old, weighs 185 pounds, stands 6 feet 2 inches, and is a junior.

Guy Payne, Bobcat quarterback, won a place on the second team selected by the Democrat. Receiving honorable mention were Freeman Stone, tackle, Dennis Richards, guard, and Kenneth Madison, halfback. The Arkansas Gazette was less favorable to the Hope squad. Payne, however, was given the right halfback berth on the third team. The Gazette gave Kennedy and Stone honorable mention.

**Harrell and Berry.** A pair of former Hope High School football players have won first places on the 1934 All-State College football team.

Lynn Harrell of Henderson State Teachers college, was given left end on the first team picked by the Arkansas Democrat.

The Arkansas Gazette named Lloyd Berry of Arkansas College at left end on its first-team selection.

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### President Tackles Work Relief Plan

Administration Opposes New Taxes But Proposes Huge Expenditure

**WARM SPRINGS, Ga.**—(AP)—President Roosevelt Monday reached the crux of his studies here on the budget and what it will permit in the way of new expenditures.

Secretary Morgenthau of the Treasury was on the president's calling list to join an important parley on the new work relief plan.

There is a unanimity of opinion in administration circles against any new revenue raising bill; but there also is an apparent determination to inaugurate a work plan of such proportions that it may call for a huge amount.

**Financing "Good."** WARM SPRINGS, Ga.—(AP)—President Roosevelt was informed Monday by Secretary Morgenthau of "a very good reception" by the market of the government's \$1 billion 800 million dollar financing program, offered Monday.

### Cotton Cut Next Year Will Be Only 25% Instead of 40%

94 Million Dollars of Benefits to Be Financed by Continued 4.2-Cent Processing Tax

A reduction of 25 per cent from the base acreage of co-operating cotton producers for 1935, as compared with a 40 per cent reduction in 1934, has been officially announced by Secretary of Agriculture Henry A. Wallace and Chester C. Davis, Administrator of the Agricultural Adjustment Act.

Acting under the terms of the 1931 and 1935 Cotton Acreage Reduction Contract which provides that the maximum rate of reduction that can be required in 1935 is "to reduce the acreage planted to cotton on this farm by an amount not to exceed 25 per cent below the base acreage." Secretary Wallace signed a proclamation making effective for 1935 the approximately 1,004,000 two-year contracts signed during the early part of 1934. It also was announced that new one-year contracts for 1935 will be offered those producers who did not sign the two-year contract. It is expected that new contracts will be available soon so that they may be signed and accepted by March 1, 1935.

The basis of payment for the 1935 program, which, under the terms of the contract must be "similar" to those described in the contract for 1934, is 3 1/2 cents per pound "on the average yield of lint cotton per acre for this farm for the years 1928-1932 with a maximum rental of \$18.00 per acre" for the acres rented under the contract, and a "parity payment" of 1 1/2 cents per pound on the farm allotment.

The farm allotment, which is the equivalent of 40 per cent of the farmer's average production for the base period of the farm represents that percentage of production which ordinarily moves into domestic con-

### Cotton This Year Yields Twice the Revenue of 1931

14,530 Bales of Current Crop Produces Total of \$1,849,042

### 29,731 BALES IN 1931

But Total Revenue That Year Was Only \$836,523, Stanley Shows

Frank R. Stanley, county agent, has worked up some figures for Hempstead county in regard to cotton production and prices received for cotton crops during the years 1931, 1932, 1933, and 1934.

It would be well for cotton producers to study these figures and this comparison and decide for themselves if the Cotton Reduction program has meant anything to them, or to Hempstead county.

Whether business man, professional man, or farmer, it would be well to give this some thought. The figures below will prove that farmers in Hempstead county received twice as much money for 14,530 bales in 1934 as they received for 29,731 bales in 1931.

Below is the table of comparison: 1931—Bales 29,731; \$747,233; seed, \$89,290. Total \$836,523.

1932—Bales 16,880, \$548,600; seed \$75,960. Total \$624,560.

1933—Bales 15,518 \$792,864. Adjusted payment \$301,000. Seed \$39,108. Total \$1,122,972.

1934—Bales 14,530, \$891,405. Adjusted payment \$225,156; Seed \$232,480. Total \$1,349,042.

### Bulletins

**LITTLE ROCK.**—(AP)—Federal Judge Andrew Miller Monday dismissed three of eight counts of an indictment charging former U. S. Property and Disbursing Officer Edward K. Woodford of embezzlement and making false claims against the United States.

**LITTLE ROCK.**—(AP)—Forty additional school districts were certified Monday to the State Relief Administration for federal teacher employment aid, including the Nazarene district of Hempstead county with three white teachers.

**LITTLE ROCK.**—(AP)—Miss Mary Lee Gunter, of Tulane university, arrived here Monday for a series of conferences preliminary to an institute for FERA county administrators and case work supervisors which she will conduct at Russellville beginning Wednesday.

**PASADENA, Calif.**—(AP)—Mrs. Naubrey N. Morgan, daughter of the late Dwight W. Morrow, and sister-in-law of Colonel Charles A. Lindbergh, died early Monday after a long illness.

### Curing Plant Is Opened for Meat

Interested Farmers Should Get in Touch With County Agent

According to Frank R. Stanley, county agent, a farmer's meat curing plant has been established to take care of the needs of any farmer in Hempstead county who wants to take advantage of it.

Farmers in Hempstead county have lost a large percentage of meat for a number of years, due to undesirable weather for saving meat and improper methods of curing.

This plant should be a saving to farmers that are short on feed and when the weather is not cold enough to chill meat properly through chilling of the carcass before salting or avoid spoiling of the meat. Frequent beginning the cure is necessary to ly weather conditions during the winter in Arkansas are such that thorough chilling cannot be accomplished with natural temperatures. In this case the use of meat curing plant is economical. Temperatures of cold storage should be about 38 degrees Fahrenheit. Ideal natural weather conditions are dry and clear with temperatures ranging from 32 to 38 degrees. Freezing should be avoided.

These kinds of cures will be available at a very reasonable charge: Dry salt cure; smoked cure, sugar cures. If interested, farmers should get in touch with the county agent's office.

### Automobile Men to Meet Dec. 11

Salesmen of This Area Will Gather at Texarkana Week From Tuesday

**TEXARKANA.**—L. C. Cargile, president of the Texarkana Trade Automobile Dealers association, announced Monday that a meeting of all automobile dealers and their salesmen in the Texarkana Trade area will be held at the Grim Hotel, Texarkana, Tuesday night, December 11 at 7 p. m. This area is comprised of the following counties: Sevier, Howard, Fike, Hempstead, Little River, Miller, LaFayette and Nevada.

F. G. Smart, Pine Bluff, chairman of the State Advisory Committee, and J. B. Carter, Little Rock, Code Commissioner, will address the group. Local speakers will also participate.

Officers for the ensuing year will be elected. The retiring officers are: L. C. Cargile, Texarkana, president; J. L. Creekmore, Texarkana, vice president; Ernest Walker, Texarkana, secretary; and Oliver Dreyer, Texarkana, chairman of the executive committee. President Cargile, who is the Chevrolet dealer of this city, has been most active in the automobile world this year. Besides serving the organization as president, he has served as vice-chairman of the State Advisory Committee for the Motor Vehicle Retaining Trade, and as president of the Arkansas Automobile Dealers association.

**LAFAYETTE, Tenn.**—Old records of Dixon's Creek Baptist church, founded in 1800, show that a headstrong girl of long ago was excluded for giving voice to such a vicious phrase as "Durn it."

### Hope Man to Be Recommended by Parks, A. P. Learns

Congressman's Office in Washington Verifies Report Heard Here

### TO SUCCEED DAVIS

Republican Leaving Post-office After Total Service 26 1/2 Years

**WASHINGTON.**—(AP)—The office of Representative Tilman B. Parks said Monday that Robert M. Wilson had been recommended for appointment as acting postmaster at Hope, Ark., and his appointment is expected this week.

The foregoing dispatch was in reply to a Star inquiry Saturday morning asking the Associated Press at Washington, D. C., to verify reports current in Hope that Mr. Wilson was assured the local postmastership.

The Associated Press reported Saturday afternoon it had been unable to verify the report, but confirmation was received Monday noon.

Mr. Wilson succeeds J. A. Davis, who has been a member of the Hope postoffice staff for 26 years 5 months, and has been Republican postmaster since March 15, 1922. Mr. Davis, last appointment, his 13th year as postmaster, expired in July this year, but he retained office until his Democratic successor was decided upon.

Mr. Wilson is expected to assume the local postmastership immediately upon receipt of his commission, a matter of possibly a week or two, nothing being available on this point, according to the Associated Press.

Mr. Wilson returned home from the army the first of 1919 and joined the Reed-Routon merchandise store, serving them continuously ever since.

He was admitted to the firm in 1922. He is widely known throughout Hempstead county, and has been prominently mentioned for the Hope postmastership the last two years.

### France Drops Her Claim to the Saar

Signs Agreement With Germany Settling Great Industrial Dispute

**ROME, Italy.**—(AP)—The French and German governments Monday signed a complete agreement on all questions concerning the Saar Basin territory. An official communique on the agreement, reached through the two nations' respective ambassadors to Rome, is to be presented to the League of Nations council Wednesday.

France, it is understood, is withdrawing all claims to the great coal and iron field of the Saar, which after the war was wrested from Germany and administered by a commission from the League of Nations, headed by an Englishman.

Under the League mandate the Saar region was to vote this winter on whether to affiliate with Germany, or France, or continue the neutral League of Nations administration. French withdrawal virtually concedes the election to Germany and alleviates German anxiety over loss of a vital industrial asset.

### Dance at Elks Club on Thursday Night

Nat Towles' 12-piece orchestra will play for an Elks dance here Thursday night, December 6. Speedy Hanson announced Monday.

Towles' musical organization played in Hope about a month ago, coming here from Dallas. Towles' band rates along with the best to appear here in recent months.

### Markets Hope Cotton Exchange

	New York Cotton				
	Open	High	Low	Close	
Dec.	12.40	12.48	12.36	12.37	99 1/2
Jan.	12.54	12.34	12.29	12.39	
	New Orleans Cotton				
	Open	High	Low	Close	
Dec.	12.48	12.48	12.35	12.34	
Jan.	12.53	12.33	12.44	12.39	
	Chicago Grain				
	Open	High	Low	Close	
Wheat—Dec.	100 1/2	100 3/4	99 1/4	99 1/4	
Corn—Dec.	92 1/2	93 1/4	91 1/2	91 1/2	
	Closing Stock Quotations				
American Can				104 1/2	
A. T. & T.				107 1/2	
Amesbury				10 1/2	
Chrysler				39	
General Motors				32 1/2	
Securities Vacuum				14 1/2	
U. S. Steel				37 1/2	
Standard Oil of N. J.				42 1/2	
American Smelter				35 1/2	
Atchafson				54 1/2	



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## YOUR HEALTH

By DR. MORRIS FISHBEIN

Editor, Journal of the American Medical Association and of Hygiene, the Health Magazine

Defectives Said to Increase With Lower Death Rate

Discussions published relative to gradual increase in number of mental defectives need not alarm us too greatly.

In fact, two investigators in Great Britain have carefully considered the possibility actually of increasing the number of defectives.

Difficulty of evaluating the figures is great, because present estimates of what constitute a mental deficiency differ from those of even 20 years ago. The great majority of cases that are now called feeble-minded would not have been called feeble-minded in 1908.

Some authorities point out that the reason there are more defectives now than there used to be is the fact that we are now saving the lives of many more infants than used to be saved, and that the lives of people in general are being prolonged far beyond what used to be possible.

There is no evidence to indicate that the mentally defective have proportionately more children than do normal people.

You should realize that our definition of mental deficiency is not really a definition of mentality, but one of the social capacity of the person concerned. We judge the defectiveness of the individual by his ability to get along with other people in the world.

It is now generally known that many people are much more intelligent than others. Intelligence below the average is, therefore, like stature below the average. It complicates the life of the individual, but may not necessarily be a sign of disease.

Fortunately, the world has jobs for people of all rates of intelligence. It is just as said to see a man of great intelligence in a job which could be done by a person below the average, as it is to see a person with less than average intelligence trying to fill a place for which he is not fitted.

It has also been well established that people who are dull and of low intelligence are likely to have children of low intelligence. Roughly, 75 per cent of people with lessened intelligence come from stocks which exhibit distinct mental abnormalities.

On the other hand, there are occasional cases even of idiocy in families in which the parents and grandparents are found to be of high order of intelligence. This means that the normal can carry, even over several generations, a certain amount of defective stock.

Of course, the surroundings in which a person is raised, and all the factors associated with the general environment are important in determining the extent to which defective intelligence will develop.

Given a stock which is dull or defective, and an environment which precludes it from education and development, the result is quite certain to be a very low order of mental capacity.

## YOUR CHILDREN

By Olive Roberts Barton

"Little Terror" Often Is Misunderstood—Energy Should Be Diverted to Useful Activities

"Little Sarah (aged four) is as bad as a boy," sighed her mother, which shows to start with that this good lady shares the common opinion that boys are worse than girls.

"And Sarah would be exceptionally naughty, even for a boy," she added. "Certainly a problem child."

Then we meet Sarah herself. She is, as we expected, the original exponent of perpetual motion. She is absolutely lacking self-consciousness. So obsessed is she with the appalling number of things around her that the tentacles of thought haven't a second to curl back on themselves.

Into Everything

Everything she sees, touches, smells or tastes is a potential source of new experiment. And as is natural with such an active child, she is constantly trying out four senses instead of one on every object in reach.

She dips her hands in her milk cup; lifts a newly ironed scarf off the rack and stuffs it into her own little tub full of water; bites her crayons into small pieces; pours sand into the piano.

She uses every sense she has on everything handy. No wonder her mother is distracted.

Naturally she is surrounded by rules and mustn'ts and "don'ts." But they are not enough to get this girl into line.

She has absorbed some things, of course. She lets the piano alone now, and her fingers burn when she goes near the clothes horse. Even so, each day dawns with new terrors for her mother.

I talked to Sarah. She is pretty, friendly, frank and dynamic.

It wasn't long before her mother referred to her as a "bad" girl. The child didn't appear to hear. It wasn't news.

Here was an unusual being who could be a "leader" some day in one form or another as sure as the tide is coming in, provided someone had time to keep her very busy in the right way.

Should Be Kept Busy

What a wealth of material to work on! But if the idea is ingrained into her that she is naughty and hopeless, the very qualities that should go for a life useful to herself and to others, may easily be diverted into headstrong license.

Sarah's mother has little time for anything but routine care. The child is left to her own devices.

Age will mellow her self-will and impulsiveness. Routine will press its curbing and sensible hand. Regular duties will take up much of the surplus energy. But just now I see a wild little spirit, not a "problem." She isn't bad. She needs most someone to really understand her.

## A BOOK A DAY

By BRUCE CATTON

Civil War Needless Tragedy, He As-seris—Douglas' Biography, His Fight Was Avoidable

The Civil war, says George Fort Milton, was not an "irrepressible conflict" at all. Instead, it was a tragedy that could and should have been prevented, and if the country had listened to Stephen A. Douglas it would have been.

Mr. Milton presents this thesis in "The Eve of Conflict," a fat and absorbing biography of the great Illinois statesman.

America's tragedy, Milton says, was that the extremists on each side—abolitionists in the north and fire eaters in the south—took control of things. Douglas had the thankless task of the man who tries to speak for intelligence and moderation at a time when only the voice of passion can be heard.

The villain of his book is President James Buchanan. It was he, says

## GLORIFYING YOURSELF

By Alicia Hart

Cosmetic Gifts Are Born to Close Friends

A beauty preparation that she would love to use, but which she'd never buy for herself makes an ideal Christmas gift for some favorite friend. Naturally, you can't give a jar of something to correct a particular skin con-

dition to a casually met acquaintance. She might not understand your motive. However, a good friend will love such a present and love you for your thoughtfulness.

Don't you know someone who has been trying to assemble enough cosmetics to give herself a home facial no wand then? She probably has cleansing cream, but does she have a lotion and a large jar of tissue or nourishing cream? No. All right, then, send her one of those de luxe bottles of skin tonic and a generous jar of tissue cream, done up in ribbons and tissue paper.

If you know her favorite brand of cleansing cream, send tissue cream made by the same manufacturer. If not, pick out a variety that's well known for its reliability.

There are many women who would give a lot for a bottle of muscle oil to correct fine lines on their throats and around their eyes. It's expensive, of course, but a medium-sized bottle of it is sure to be appreciated by the girl who knows she needs it. You might put a fancy pattern in the package, too.

Don't try to economize on beauty gifts. If you can't afford to send something you know to be good, change your list to include other items.

**Laneburg**

Miss Margaret Moore of Emmet has arrived for a week-end visit with Miss Glyn Bright.

John Ward Gann of Paragould has returned home following a holiday visit with his mother, Mrs. C. M. Gann.

Miss Louise Brewer left Thursday for a week-end visit with her parents at Arkadelphia.

Jack Clemmens, member of the faculty is spending the week-end with his parents at Mt. Holly, Ark.

Edgar Daniel of Little Rock is spending a holiday visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Daniel.

Miss Jane Gann has arrived from Camden to run extended visit with her mother, Mrs. C. M. Gann.

Misses Cora McCune and Daisy Stephens are spending the week-end as guests of Miss Doris Whaley of Prescott.

# Lovable

BEGIN HERE TODAY

ANN HOLLISTER, pretty and 20, ends work in a library, she falls in love with TONY NICKLE, commercial artist, although warned against him by SARAH KENT, her roommate.

Later she meets PETER KEN-DALL, wealthy and prominent, who is engaged to VALERIA BENNETT, society girl. Valeria spends much of her time with a gay crowd without Peter knowing about it.

Tony asks Ann to marry him and she agrees. Although Tony has promised to "settle down" and save money so they can be married he does not do this. Sarah becomes engaged to JOHNNY MACDONALD and displays an engagement ring. Tony promises Ann a ring for a Christmas gift.

Sarah and Ann prepare a festive Christmas Eve dinner but Tony fails to appear.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY CHAPTER X

MAC crossed to the telephone. "I'll find out where Tony is," he said. "I went by for him but he was busy and said he'd be here in plenty of time for dinner. When Tony's busy, the sky could fall."

He gave the operator the number, waited, but there was no answer.

Mac said, uncomfortably, "Shall I dash out and look about a little?"

"No," said Ann sharply. "Please. I'd rather you wouldn't."

Mac returned to his chair. He looked sober, troubled.

Ann said, with an effort at brightness, "Let's dish up, Sarah. We won't wait on Tony. He doesn't deserve a hot dinner, being more than an hour late."

They sat down at the table, keeping up the pretense of gaiety. Keeping up the pretense of believing Tony would come straggling in at the end. All through the long meal they were pretending, Mac doing his best, his booming bass filling the unhappy lapses.

Afterward they started the dishes and put them in hot suits. Sarah and Ann would "go" them later.

"Come along with us to a movie, Ann," Sarah suggested. "It will serve Tony right to find nobody home. Do you suppose he could be ill? Maybe you should phone Ann."

Presently they were gone, giving Ann the chance to crawl miserably to her room and let tears, held back so long, have their way—to weep her heart out.

She was still awake, hours later, when Sarah returned. Still aware when Christmas chimes began to ring, heralding the advent of a glad day. And then at last Ann slept—slept until the telephone aroused her. She heard Sarah's voice, calm and cool.

"Sure, Ann's here. No, I won't. She isn't awake and she didn't sleep any last night and—"

"I'm awake," Ann called. She was desperately relieved. Suppose something had happened to Tony. Suppose he really was ill!

"Hello."

"Ann, this is the dim-wit who loves you."

"Oh! Then he hadn't been ill or hurt."

"I'm coming right over. We're having Christmas dinner together. At the swellest joint in town. Ann, can you ever forgive me?"

WELL, thought Ann, it was best to make the most of this fast-waning holiday.

"I'll get ready," she said dully. She went back to her room. Sarah



Sarah said, "Let Tony wait, Ann, and read these headlines!"

fully flung the morning newspaper at her.

"Let Tony wait, Ann, and read those headlines. And look at the pictures!"

Ann stared at the big black type, "Society Group Principals in Near Tragedy." Pictures . . . Valeria Bennett's eyes, staring innocently out at her.

"I'm glad that double-crossing Valeria Bennett's been found out," Sarah said. "If I don't miss my guess, she's lost more than her reputation."

The story ran that a party had been in progress at Van Balen's apartment at an early hour of the morning when an inebriated and jealous husband—Marvin Walters—had joined the group unexpectedly, brandishing a pistol.

Guests had wildly barreled themselves in, but not before the powder had shot at Van Balen, slightly wounding him. In the excitement someone called the police.

"Well," said Ann, "maybe it won't make any difference to Peter Kendall about his fiancée being there. Nothing seems to make any difference any more."

Presently, she thought unhappily, Tony would be explaining, and not long after that he would be kissing her—and so the hurt and disappointment of last night would be ticked away. Perhaps after a while it would be forgotten.

ON Christmas Eve, Peter had driven Valeria out to Kendallwood to see a mammoth Christmas tree which had been decorated for the children of the community.

"If you don't mind, I'll wait for you here," she said. "It's terribly cold and these thin shoes are hardly the thing for all that snow."

"Back in a moment," Peter said. Valeria watched, her lips curling a little, as his long strides carried him to the crowded area about the tree. People crowded about him. She shook his hand.

As the minutes passed, Valeria's irritation increased. Sometimes Peter was impossible.

He came up just then, two big red apples in his hand. "Have one?"

"No, thanks," Valeria replied coldly.

"Valeria!" queried Peter quietly. Valeria's intuition came to her rescue. "Sorry, I was such a wretch. But I have a headache. I've had one all night."

"Why didn't you tell me?" He was all concern in an instant. "We'll stop somewhere and get something for it."

"No, I have a tablet at home that gives quick relief. And besides, Darling, I've just realized I haven't wrapped your present—or anybody's—and it's getting late."

"Surely you won't bother with wrapping when you're feeling ill," Peter said.

"I'll be all right after I take the tablet." She seemed quite cheerful now.

Valeria was saying, "We'll go riding in the park tomorrow, Peter. Remember last Christmas how pretty it looked? The snow was deeper than this, wasn't it? And the trees were marvelous. Come early—about nine will be all right. We'll go to the park. It will be white and beautiful."

PETER was having breakfast alone when Don came into the dining room next morning.

"Well," Peter asked, "is the world coming to an end? Think of meeting you before noon."

Don answered the affectionate rally with a low growl. "Beastly head. I rang for the papers."

He opened a folded newspaper. A moment later he glanced up. "You haven't seen this yet, Peter?"

"No. Anything startling?"

Don said, "Well, you'll have to see it—it's that Valeria—"

Peter reached for the newspaper. After a while, reading mechanically, scarcely taking in the details of what he read, he heard Don's voice.

"I think you're lucky to find out the truth about that girl. Now that you know, I'll tell you something else. This isn't the first time she's been at Van Balen's. She was there one night when I dropped in. I saw her bag on the table—the one you brought her from Paris."

Peter said, "Never mind, Don," and left the room.

He drove straight to Valeria's apartment. A sober-eyed maid opened the door. Her voice was apologetic, "Miss Valeria's not up yet, sir."

"I'll wait," Peter's tone was grim. The maid shut the door quickly behind her.

The house was wrapped in stillness. Last Christmas morning, Peter remembered, he had come over and found it filled with people. He had just returned from abroad and his gift—the gold party bag with the jeweled monogram—had been among them.

After the others had gone he and Valeria had driven to the park. The trees and shrubs were fantastic shapes, covered with snow. Last night he had thought it sweet of Valeria to remember.

The door opened and she entered the room. Valeria's face was white, her eyes frightened. She came to him, raising her lips to his. But Peter did not kiss her. He grasped her wrists, held her away from him and gazed coldly down at her.

Valeria whispered, "Surely you don't believe those dreadful things in the newspaper! If you'll only not get excited, Peter dear, I can explain—"

(To Be Continued)

**Menu Flour Hits New Sales Mark**

Flour Advertising Campaign Is Largest in History of Hope

Menu Flour, whose advertising campaign is being run through the columns of The Hope Star, is an unusual product. It has behind it a sales record with the Ritchie Grocer company that dates back near 30 years, when the first shipment from the Slater Mill & Elevator Co., at Slater, Mo., was made to the Ritchie Grocer company. As this company expanded and added new houses and territory to its group, it has taken Menu Flour with it wherever it has gone and has found it to be a dominant flour wherever it has been offered.

Menu flour in Hope is finding favor with the housewives who have tried it. Many samples were distributed to all the homes, letters have been written, inviting the women to try Menu and this newspaper campaign was started as soon as Menu was for sale in the retail stores. The high standard of quality set by the manufacturers for Menu flour has been upheld 30 years and it is not unusual to have housewives tell how they have used Menu flour for 15 and even 20 and some of them 30 years.

The advertising department of the mill says it is selling more Menu flour this year than has been sold for many years, and gives a deal of credit to this present sales volume to the advertising campaign which is now running.

The Menu Flour campaign has been appearing in the columns of Hope Star. It is the largest campaign that has ever been carried on Menu flour and it is the largest campaign that has ever run for any flour in this trade territory.

The Ritchie Grocer company is the sole distributor at wholesale for Menu flour in this trade territory. It is offered for sale at retail through every grocery store in this community.

## COMMON OLD ITCH

Is Still With Us

Prescription No. 200,000 will cure it. It kills the parasites in the Skin.

**50c**

**JOHN S. GIBSON**  
Drug Company  
"The REXALL Store"  
Phone 63  
Hope, Ark. Established 1885

## New Low Price Crazy Water Crystals

Now only \$1.00 per lb.

You can now get the Genuine Crazy Water Crystals for only \$1.00 per pound package, sufficient to make 15 gallons of mineral water. Why accept a substitute when the original and genuine is the same price.

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Exclusive Crazy Crystal Agents  
Phone 34 We Deliver

## CREOMULSION

Your own druggist is authorized to cheerfully refund your money on the spot if you are not relieved by Creomulsion.

## COUGHS

## Wanted! FOUR FOOT WOOD

Oak and Ash Split.  
Paid When Delivered

**Hope Heading Co.**  
Hope, Arkansas

## ROY ANDERSON & CO.

COMPLETE INSURANCE SERVICE  
PHONE 610 HOPE, ARK.

## CAPUDINE for HEADACHE

CAPUDINE contains several ingredients which act together to give quicker relief. Also for pains due to fresh colds, neuritis, and for muscular and joint aches. Ask for Capudine Liquid or the modified formula, Capudine Brd Tablts.

## DANCE—ELK'S HALL

Hope, Ark.

**THURSDAY DECEMBER 6**

Nat Towles and his 12 piece orchestra returning by special request.

10 till ? Adm. \$1.10



# Society

Mrs. Sid Henry

Telephone 321

## Winter

Jack Frost has come, and over night has painted our windows snowy white. He's dusted the pumpkins and touched the leaves. Making ghosts of all the trees. And has painted the sun in flaming red. And all white our toes were tucked in bed. They Old Man Sun peeps forth with the day. And chases Jack Frost quite away. But it's too late now, he has had his fun. And King Winter's reign has just begun.—Selected.

The City P. T. A. Council will meet at 4 o'clock Tuesday afternoon at the city hall. Miss Henry, city superintendent will be present and give a report on the Arkansas Congress of Parents and Teachers, recently held in Fort Smith.

Mrs. J. L. Davis and Miss Lottie Davis of Magnolia were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hatley White.

H. V. Crawford of Schenectady, N. Y., J. Weldon Crawford and Mrs. S.

G. Crawford of Little Rock were Sunday guests of Mrs. Della McClanahan and other relatives and friends.

The Junior Young Women's Circle of the First Methodist church will hold their regular monthly meeting at 4 o'clock, Tuesday afternoon at the home of Miss Lenora Routon, N. Pine street. The business for the afternoon include the election of officers, and setting the time for the Christmas party.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Burford of Weewoka, Okla., are house guests of Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Barber and Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Yarbber.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Porterfield and little Billy Crawford of Little Rock were Sunday guests of Mrs. E. G. Porterfield and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Barber left Sunday for Weewoka, Okla., where they will spend the winter.

The Young Mother's Circle of the First Methodist church will meet at 3 o'clock, Tuesday afternoon at home of Mrs. H. O. Kyle, 502 North Hamilton street, with Mrs. Willis Northcutt at joint hostess. A full attendance is urged as this meeting will be full of important business.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Meek and little daughter, Carolyn of Bradley spent the Thanksgiving week end with Mr. and Mrs. K. G. McKee.

Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Norton had as week end guests, Miss Pearl Davis and Miss Emma Riley of Little Rock.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Casey spent the week end with Mrs. Casey's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Jackson in Texarkana.

The Choral club will practice at 8 o'clock, Wednesday morning at the home of Mrs. J. M. Houston, North Pine street.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Casey had as Sunday night guests, Mr. and Mrs. David Watts en route to their home in Texarkana from a week end visit with relatives in Camden.

The Boy View Reading Club will hold their regular bi-weekly meeting at 3 o'clock, Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. R. M. Briant North Washington street.

Misses Lillian Follin and Florrie Stevens of Magnolia were week end guests of Miss Vena Moses.

Mrs. Edna Thomas and little son, Bill Jr., of San Antonio, Texas, were week end guests of relatives in the city, en route to Savannah, Ga., where they will spend the winter with Mrs. Thomas' sister, Mrs. W. J. Newman, formerly of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. George Sandefur were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Conyers Brandon in Marshall, Texas.

The Brookwood P. T. A. will hold their regular monthly meeting at 3 o'clock, Wednesday afternoon at the Brookwood school.

Mr. and Mrs. James R. Henry and children spent the week end with Mrs. Henry's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Ligon in Conway.

Miss Jenny Sue Martindale entertained a few of her classmates at a party last Wednesday evening. Games

## Lou Gehrig Again Batting Champion

American League's Average as a Whole Is 6 Points Over 1933

NEW YORK—American league batsmen hit six points better during the season of 1934 than they did in 1933, the figures being .279 as compared with .273.

Individual honors went to Lou Gehrig of the New York Yankees, who went through another season without missing a game, led the circuit in batting with a mark of 2.53 in 154 games, topped his rivals with 49 home runs and with a total base mark of 409. Before the campaign opened, Gehrig declared he had three ambitions which were to go through the season without failing to play a game, to grab the championship in batting and make the most home runs. He cashed in on each effort.

Behrig also was second with 210 hits, Charley Gehringer of Detroit leading with 214, while Lou was third in scoring runs. He crossed the plate 128 times, six less than Gehringer and one less than Werber of Boston. Averill of Cleveland also registering 128 runs. Having started the season with a record of having played 1,350 consecutive games, Gehrig's mark now stands at 1,504, not having missed a contest since he started on his remarkable record, June 1, 1925.

## Spring Hill

The Methodist preacher, Rev. Crain and wife received a nice pounding by some of his members Tuesday night, among the things were a nice ham and a beautiful new quilt donated by the W. M. S. and other friends. Mrs. Clarence Baker and daughter, Pete, spent Friday with her brother, Arlin Moses.

## Laneburg

Mrs. C. P. Nelson has arrived from Little Rock for a weeks visit with friends here.

Bill Martin of Prescott is visiting relatives here.

Charles Nelms Jr., of Little Rock, is spending the week-end here with friends.

were enjoyed until 9:30 when a delicious plate was served to the following guests: Frances Yocum, Mary Cornelia Holloway, Margaret Simms, Leonis Bundy, Jim White, Edward Lester, Frederick Taylor and Wallace Vansickle.

Mrs. Laura Smith of Washington is the houseguest of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Green, 403 West Division street.

Misses Hester Williams and Sue Ellen Jones of Magnolia A. & M. college spent the week end with relatives. They arrived Thursday accompanied by Le Mayne McCollum who was their guest during the holiday and over the week end.

## Cinema Lures a LaFollette



Her father wants her to carry on the family's political fame, but Mariou LaFollette, above, charming 22-year-old cousin of Wisconsin's Senator Bob and Governor-elect Phil, is trying the movies first and is in Hollywood as a beauty contest winner, taking the plunge. She soon will share in her mother's estate, valued at more than a million dollars.

## COTTON CUT NEXT

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cents per pound on raw cotton.

Grazill Exports Increase RIO DE JANEIRO, Brazil, (AP)—Brazil, having increased its exports of cotton by 3600 per cent in one year, Sunday showed signs of worry over the inroads of foreign rayon at home. The Foreign Trade Council, meeting Monday is expected to reach some decision on the policy to be adopted toward growing imports of rayon.

Complaints have come to the Commerce Section of the Ministry of Foreign Relations that foreign rayon threatens extinction of Brazil's relatively new cotton industry, which in a surprising one year rise has attained second place in the nation's economy, next to coffee.

While exports of cotton, notably to Europe, were 37 times as great in 1934 as in 1933, total production of cotton did not quite double, indicating the domestic market is equally important.

While stimulating cotton production with subsidies and technical advice, the governments of the various states realize that the textile industry has not kept pace. Brazil now has 369

## Home Clubs

### BLEVINS

The Blevins Home Demonstration club met November 30 at the home of Mrs. P. C. Stephens. The meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. W. T. Yarbber. Mrs. J. T. Thompson gave the devotional followed by the Lord's prayer. The special feature of the program was a reading by Master James Sewell Yarbber. There were 28 members and two visitors present. After the roll call the following officers for another year were elected: Mrs. Elvin Bruce, president; Mrs. Roy Foster, shrdl shrdl etai e ident; Mrs. C. C. Merritt, vice president; Mrs. Roy Foster, secretary; Mrs. S. H. Battle, reporter.

The demonstration was on Christmas candies.

The next meeting will be the fourth Wednesday in January with Mrs. Herbert Stephens.

textile mills. The government has under advisement a national program to encourage industrialization with a view to capturing the markets of South America and Europe.

Government aid included distribution of selected seed to thousands of small farmers. A special credit of \$83,000 was arranged and some 265,000 pounds of seed was given out in the first six months of the year. Official figures show that favorably conditioned land in Brazil will yield from 700 to 1,000 pounds of cotton per acre.

The threads from only 40 sickworm cocoons would reach completely around the world.

## 1c DRESS SALE

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## GIFT SHOP

Front Street Phone 252

## Special

Shampoo, Fingerwave and Manicure all for

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Mary's Beauty Shop

Phone 287



Put Mentholatum in the nostrils to relieve irritation and promote clear breathing.

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## GRIDIRON BRIEFS

### By Associated Press

Navy's gallant football team whipped the Army for the first time in 13 years Saturday, while Rice and Tulane reached the championship heights in the Southwest and South.

A crowd of 80,000 braving a heavy rain, jammed Franklin Field in Philadelphia to see Navy gain a 3-0 victory over the Army on Slade Cutter's field goal from the 17-yard line in the first period. It was the first time since 1921 that the sailors had beaten their traditional rivals.

Rice's Owls buried Baylor under a 32-to-0 count to clinch the Southwest Conference title.

Tulane's Green Wave meantime, gained a share of the Southeastern Conference crown along with Alabama, by nipping Louisiana State, 13-12, before 30,000 spectators. Monk Simons took a lateral from Buckly Bryan and ran 40 yards for the winning touchdown in the last four minutes of play.

Bill Shepherd, Western Maryland's star halfback, gained clear claim to the national individual scoring championship as he scored all his team's points in a 13-to-0 triumph over Georgetown. He wound up the season with 133 points. Holy Cross, pushing 48 yards to a touchdown in the final quarter, beat its traditional rival,

Boston College, 7-2. A 56-yard drive in the final period carried Georgia to a 7-to-0 triumph over Georgia Tech while Mississippi topped Mississippi State, 6-3, in another Southeastern Conference game. Duke buried North Carolina State, 32-0, in the last game of the Southern Conference schedule.

Detroit's Titans struck quickly in the first period and then held off Washington State's Cougars to win, 6-4, in a distinct upset. Southern Methodist walloped Texas Christian, 19-0, in the Southwest.

## FOOTBALL SCORES

(By the Associated Press)

East.  
Navy 3, Army 0.  
Holy Cross 7, Boston College 2.  
Western Maryland 13, Georgetown 0.  
South.  
Florida 14, Stetson 0.  
Georgia 7, Georgia Tech 0.  
Duke 32, North Carolina State 0.  
Tulane 13, Louisiana State 12.  
Mississippi 7, Mississippi State 3.  
Southwest.  
Southern Methodist 19, Texas Christian 0.  
Rice 32, Baylor 0.  
Midwest.  
Detroit 6, Washington State 0.  
Far West.  
Washington 14, Southern California 7.

Negro Football.  
At Raleigh, N. C., St. Augustine 3, Shaw 0.  
Morehouse 25, Xavier 6.  
The only survivor of Custer's army, after the battle of the Little Big Horn, was Comanche, a buckskin horse; his mounted skin now stands in the museum of the University of Kansas.  
When a Ladakhi marries in western Tibet, his next two younger brothers become secondary husbands to his wife.

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Matinee 2:30 Tues.  
The BEST of all college type musicals!

**Joe Penner  
Lanny Ross  
Jack Oakie**  
—In—  
"COLLEGE RHYTHM"  
—SHORTS—  
"Goofy Movie" and News

**Wed Night  
"BANK-NITE"**  
—and—  
**Fay Wray  
"Women in the Dark"**

**HERE—THUR. & FRI.**  
★ DICK POWELL ★  
★ RUBY KEELER ★  
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**South Arkansas Implement Co.**  
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*They ought to know—*

**MANY** men of the South have been "in tobacco" for years—growing tobacco and curing it—buying it and selling it—until they know tobacco from A to Izzard.

Now folks who have been in tobacco all their lives, folks who grow it, know there is no substitute for mild ripe tobacco.

*And down in the South where they grow tobacco and where they ought to know something about it—in most places Chesterfield is the largest-selling cigarette.*

**the cigarette that's Milder**

**the cigarette that TASTES BETTER**



Foreign Playwright

HORIZONTAL  
2 Who was the playwright in the picture?  
12 Bride strap.  
14 To dwell.  
15 Cotton fabric.  
17 God of war.  
18 Ringworm.  
19 To ogle.  
20 Insane.  
21 Networks.  
22 Moisture.  
24 To subvert.  
25 Postscript.  
27 Sun per-  
sonified.  
30 Frothing.  
33 Structural unit.  
34 Semidiameter.  
35 To scorch.  
36 Center of an amphitheater.  
37 Toward.  
38 Half an em.  
39 To make lace.  
42 To discharge.

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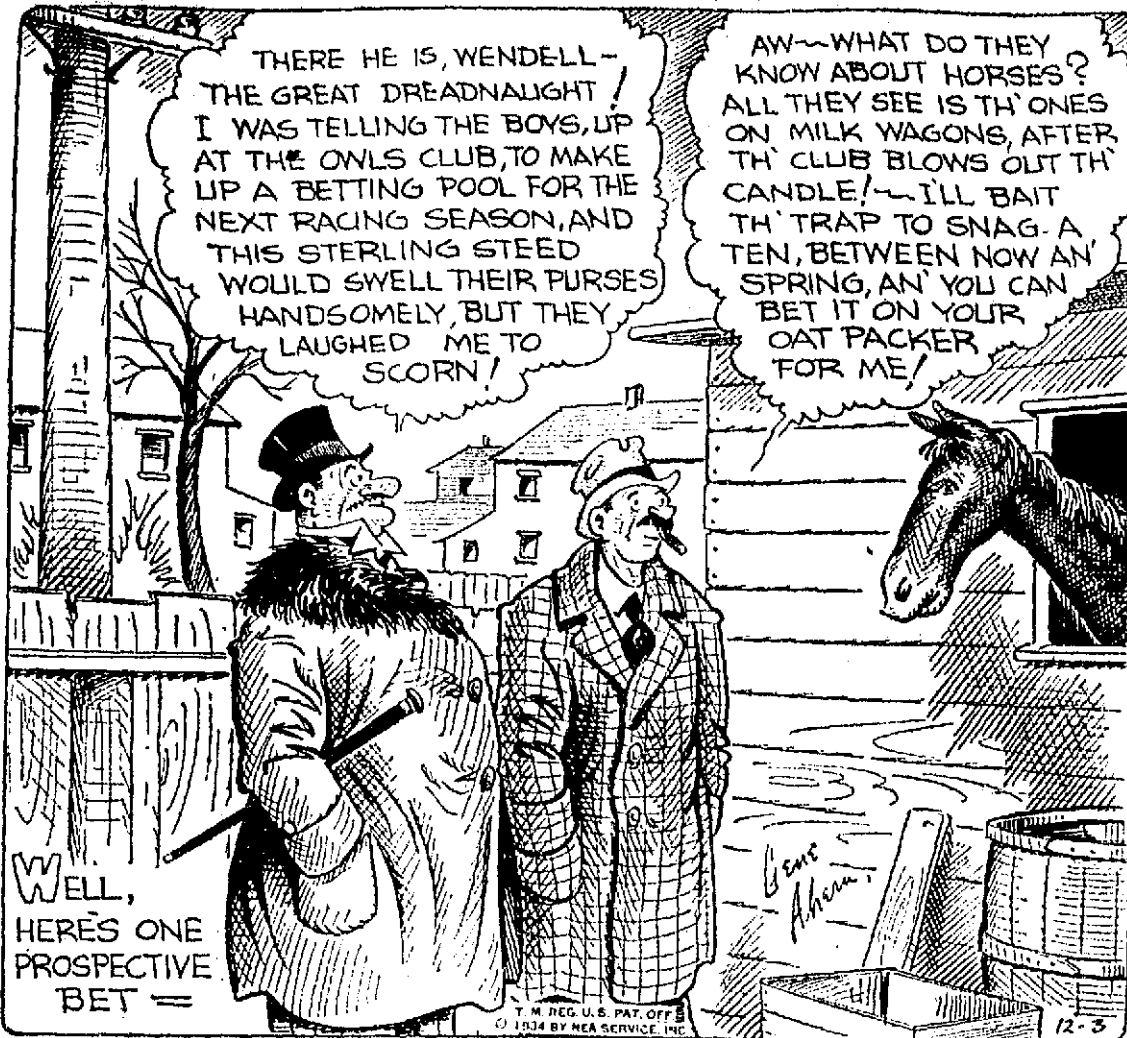
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13 Epoch.  
16 Born.  
21 Tenant.  
22 Helix.  
24 To strike noisily.  
26 Cleatrix.  
28 Senseless.  
29 Light brown.  
31 Fish.  
33 Bowling pin.  
40 Things done.

VERTICAL  
1 He was a moral proponent.  
2 In his plays.  
3 Nan.  
4 To value.  
5 Wading bird.  
6 Cows.  
7 Thought.  
8 Dandy.  
10 Requirement.  
11 He was by nationality.  
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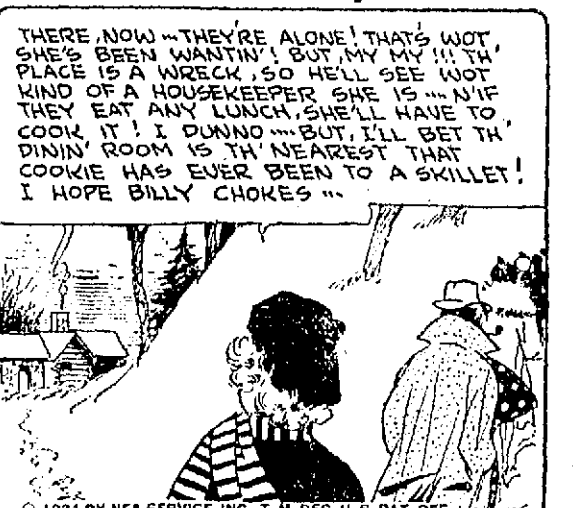
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BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES

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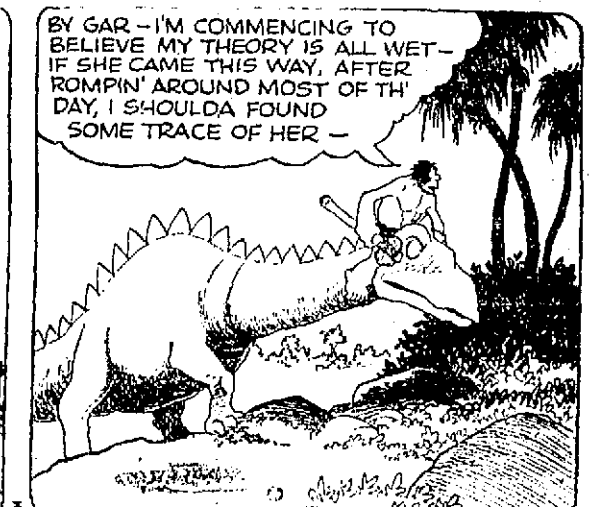
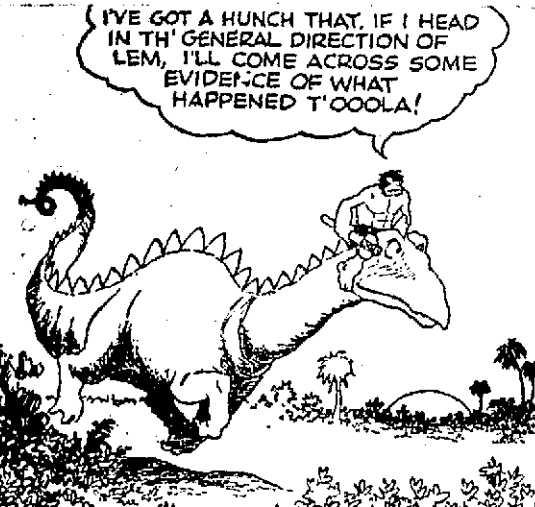
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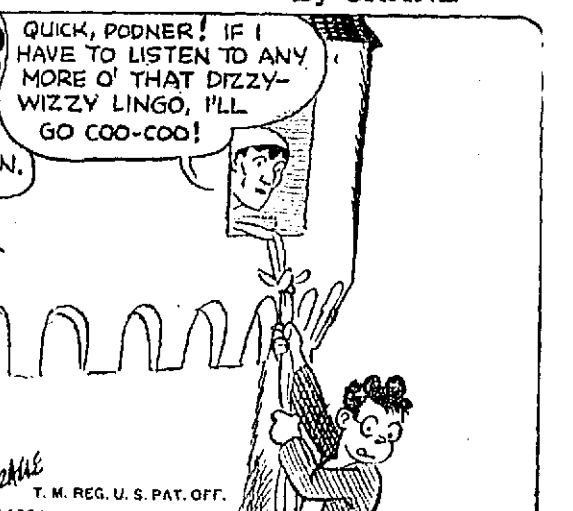
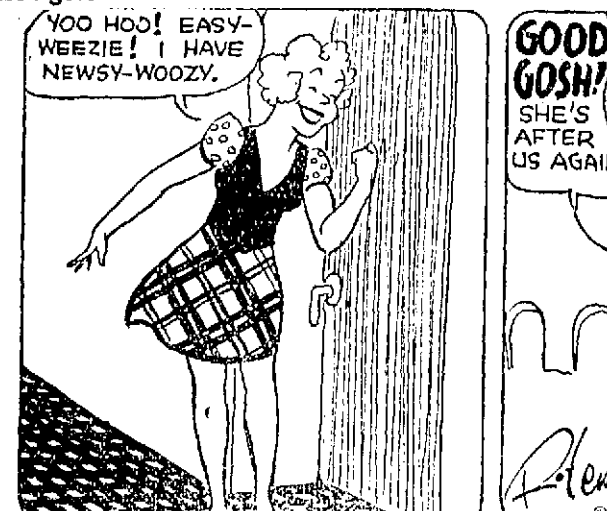
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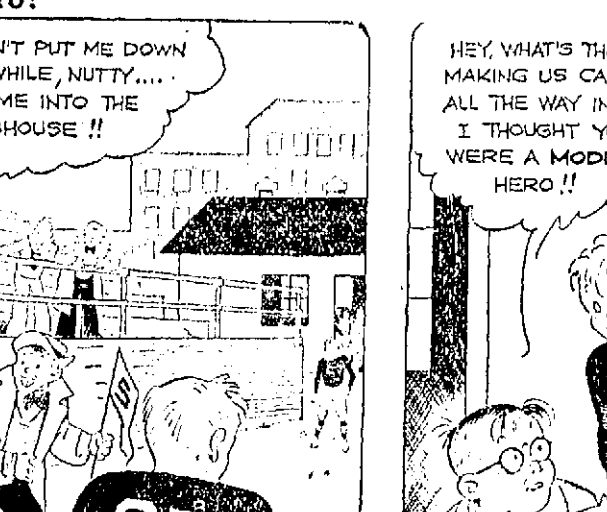
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FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

The Hero!

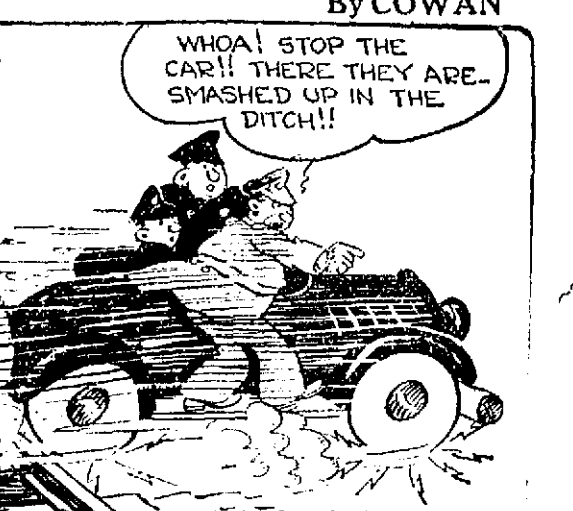
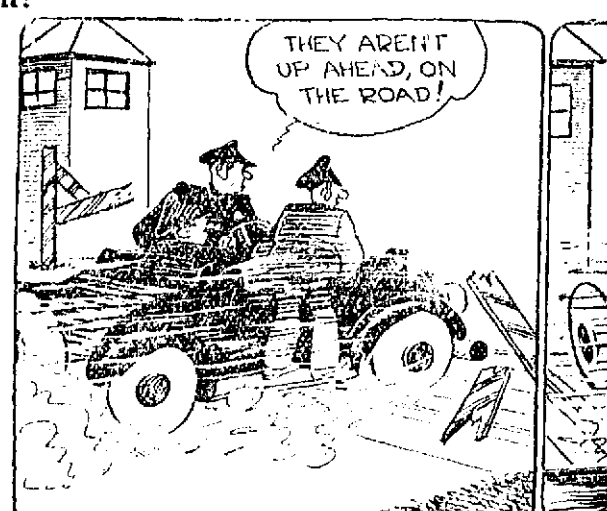
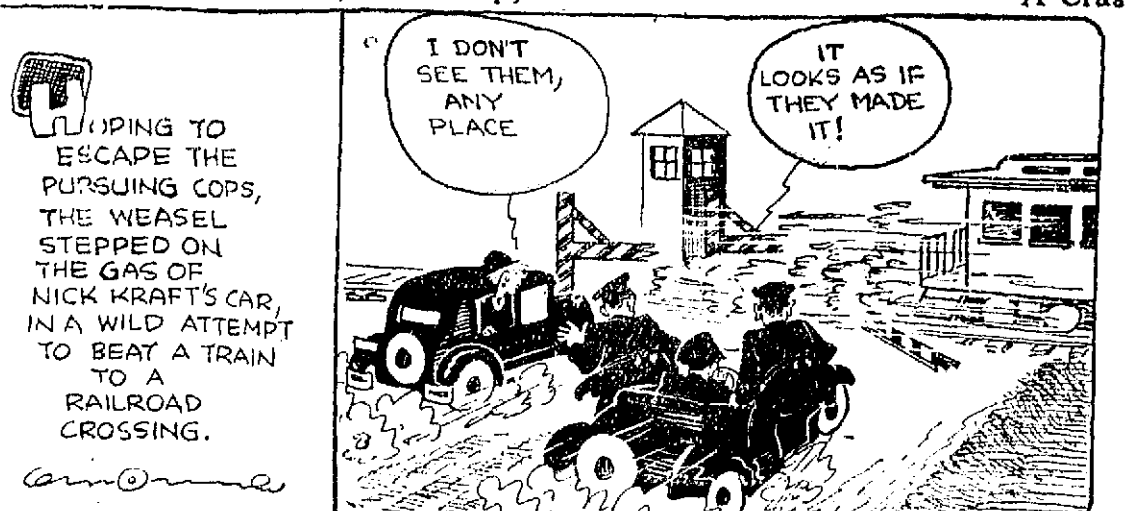
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FOR SALE--40 acres with four room house three miles off city. Price \$350.00. 5 room house with 8 lots near Brookwood Addition, \$550.00. Four room house in colored neighborhood; also ten lots in white neighborhood. All for \$350.00 cash. Do not phone: See BRIDEWELL & TYLER 3-31c

FOR RENT

FOR RENT--Four room furnished apartment and garage. J. A. Sullivan, North Elm Street. 29-61p

FOR RENT--Furnished four room apartment. Private bath. Electric refrigerator. Mrs. K. G. McRae. Phone 132. 3-31c

WANTED

WANTED TO BUY--Used bicycle for 12-year-old boy. See Watt Yancey at Hope Auto Co. 28-31p

WANTED TO BUY--1927 Model Zenith or Simplex Radio. Phone 36, or write Box 436. Hope Ark. 26-31p

LOST

LOST--Black and white Female Pointer Branded Bundy License 2060. Lemon eared Setter Branded 10-B License 3059. Reward. Phone 264. 28-31c

LOST--Green metal suitcase on Hope-Lewisville road. Contains men's clothing, pistol. Reward. Return to Hope Star 12-31p

LOST--15-jewel Bulova wrist-watch. Second St. Engraved name Frances Payne. Reward if returned to T. F. Payne, S. Main St. 3-31p

Arkansas covered by the Little Rock and North Arkansas conferences of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, promises to be well presented at the approaching annual meeting of the denomination's Educational Council, scheduled to be held at Nashville, Tenn., December 10-13.

Leaders in religious education from this section who are expected to attend are: Dr. J. H. Reynolds, Conway; the Rev. Clem Baker, Little Rock; Miss Faye Egan, Little Rock; Mrs. Clay E. Smith, Little Rock; Miss Lula Baird, Morrilton; Mrs. Ira Brumley, Conway; the Rev. Harold D. Sadler, Texarkana; Ramey Garland, Emmet; Edgar Massey, Boonville; the Rev. Ira Brumley, Conway; Miss Myrtle Charles, Conway; Miss Mary Allen Turner, Pine Bluff; Hon. J. S. M. Cannon, Little Rock; Dr. J. M. Williams, Conway; C. E. Hayes, Little Rock; the Rev. S. T. Baugh, Little Rock; the Rev. Glenn F. Sanford, Conway; Mrs. T. D. Greenwood, El Dorado; Miss Eloise Jones, Little Rock; C. J. Greene, Nat. R. Griswold, Conway; the Rev. Warren Johnston, Fayetteville; and M. J. Russell, Valley Springs.

An attendance of more than 200 leaders in religion and education is expected. The work of Christian education as fostered by the Southern Methodist Church in 17,000 Sunday schools, 65 Methodist institutions of learning and in strategic college centers in the United States will be reviewed and problems discussed by experts in their respective fields.

Emmet

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. McMillan and small son of Vivian La., visited relatives here.

Miss Billy Arnold of Hope spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Beatty.

Miss Elsie Gentry of Amity is spending a few days with her mother, Mrs. Dora Gentry.

Mr. and Mrs. George Townsend of Arkadelphia spent the week end with relatives.

Mrs. Doyle McCoy and son returned home Friday after an extended visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Garland.

Mrs. Bessie Billue of Cleveland, O., is visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Billue.

Mrs. Parks Fisher and son of Bowling Green, Ky., is visiting her mother, Mrs. Florence Chambliss.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Crank and niece, Magdalene Hood, spent Monday in Texarkana.

Mrs. Connie Ward is visiting her husband in Graysonia.

Miss Max Garland of Magnolia A. & M. college is spending the holidays at home.

Miss Margaret Magnus of El Dorado is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Magnus.

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